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Edward Coleman.....	Dewitt Clinton
John Ames.....	Frederic Douglas
Bradley.....	Allan Hampton
McFadden.....	James Devlin
William Sage.....	Frank Weed
Paxton.....	W. J. Simms
Emily Coleman.....	Miss Barbara Douglas
Kittie.....	Miss Willie Simms
Eugenie.....	Miss Vera Hamilton
Little Afton.....	Estella
Mother McManas.....	Miss Salkey

Police-men, Fire-men, Citizens, Etc.

ACTS II, III, IV, V.

Note—21 years elapse between Acts I and II.

Robert Sage.....	DeWitt Clinton
Ames.....	Frederic Douglas
Bradley.....	Allan Hampton
McFadden.....	James Devlin
Blokes.....	Warren Ashley
Officer.....	Frank Chapin
Swipes.....	Frank Weed
McFarlane.....	Warren W. Ashley
Johnson.....	F. Weed
Sam.....	W. J. Simms
James.....	
Nelson.....	W. Ashley
Dago.....	D. Clinton
Miss Afton.....	Miss Barbara Douglas
Maggie.....	Miss Willie Simms
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SYNOPSIS.

Act I—Scene 1—Office of Coleman &
Ames. Scene 2—Alley in Chicago. Scene
3—State and Madison the night of the fire.
Scene 4—Same spot one hour later.

Act II—Scene 1—McFadden's Flat.
Scene 2—Michigan Avenue, looking south.
Scene 3—Roof of Mascenic Temple, looking
south.

Act III—Washington Street, south of
City Hall.

Act IV—Drawbridge at Whiting, on
the Central.

Act V—Scene 1—Room in the home of
John Ames. Scene 2—Court of Honor,
World's Fair.

EXECUTIVE STAFF NORTHERN HEART OF CHICAGO.

Lincoln J. Carter..... Proprietor
Jay Simms..... Manager
George W. Irish..... General Agent
Allan Hampton..... Stage Manager
Frank Chapin..... Stage Carpenter
W. J. Simms..... Properties

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"In Boston the other day, a man thought he could
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"A man in Maryland ate fifty raw oysters on a wager.
The silver trimmings on his coffin cost \$12.50." Or

"A Chicago man warned his wife not to light the fire
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